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SATURDAY, AUGUST 27, 1921.

The Indicator publishes the news without fear or favor. Read.

Wine is a mocker, strong drink is still raging in Georgia.

The race would derive more benefit by our ever boosting every racial enterprise rather than "knocking" a few. They are all ours.

School days are nearly here, when every child of school age should enter some school and attend regularly until the school closes. It is the duty of parents and guardians to see that this is done.

Augusta, Georgia's, crackers did a great piece of work last week when they burned the lifeless form of the Negro who committed the outrageous crime of killing three and wounding eight white men.

To withhold offices from Negroes in the South because of local objections is merely to encourage or suggest the same elsewhere. An office is merely an agency made necessary by the presence and activities of the people—in which Negroes play important parts—a fact for which President Harding doesn't give a snap of the finger now that he is in the White House.

In Atlanta, Ga., the Negroes have a real Business League in which they work together, and have brought such results as a block of business buildings on Auburn Ave., in which Negroes are really doing business. One is a story brick structure with a bank of several years of successful operation. In another block just above is the Citizen's Trust Company, capitalized at \$500,000. Not only is this true of Atlanta, but in every other city where Negroes are organized they are bringing about results that mean advancement for the race.

The best method a business man can use to lose friends and create strong enemies against his business is that of crediting some people, sometimes his best friends. Their methods to harm your business will be to not pay honest bills and discontinue spending their cash with said business firms. This is true as it relates to firms of our group, but to the others they are loyal and true. To this fact there are many enterprises of our group who will say, amen! The Indicator knows whereof it speaks, for many have been pointed out to us with remarks of disappointment and disgust.

The white Baptist minister at Swansea who seemed to have given his congregation quite an uplifting sermon last Sunday night on "The Mind of the Mob," led the way, that if all white ministers would follow would do very much to lessen mob rule in the South. The Indicator has long since been listening for the white ministers to play their important part in the program of eliminating mob rule and lawlessness through their pulpits. One has waded out into the deep and we think it is a fine course for all others to pursue. The Indicator takes off its hat to this minister, whoever he is, and pray that others will follow suit.

The Indicator called attention a few weeks ago to the poor school accommodation provided for Negro youths in this city, using the old dilapidated Howard school building as the main subject with the suggestion that the ministers of the city take some steps to have the city fathers and school commissioners better conditions. Up to this writing we have heard of no efforts being put forth in this cause. If the ministers and leading laymen and women continue to keep silent on this very important matter we fear conditions will long remain as they are and Negro youths will be made to continue in danger and neglect because of our neglectfulness to them.

We should now arise and assert our rights as men and women or hereafter hold our peace when imposed upon in other matters, local and national.

The information is ours with a certainty that the Baptist presidential timber is on the increase. We do not claim this to be true but we do know that there can be more honor seekers than seekers of duty. We dare not say this is true and truly hope that all of the aspirants are but wrapped up in the sacred duties of that high office.

It is now passing strange that men up in Baptist circles eyes are just open to what should be done by a president of the State convention this, too, by men who were right next to the head and saw as well as those lower down that the affairs of the denomination were suffering for lack of proper planning and team work. And just now, because a change has come, and the opportunity for others to get high honors, it can be so clearly seen that the present incumbent is not running over the State and doing more than any of his predecessors.

The Indicator (like many others) is of the opinion that this campaigning for the presidency of the State convention is a most opportune time to divide the working forces and cripple the work; for some favor the present incumbent merely on the grounds that he represents one wing of the National convention while others are boosting another because he represents the other and in many cases this is being done under cover while the other frivolous reasons are brought out.

Advancing the Baptist cause in this State should have long ago been the highest ambition of every Baptist in the State. Why at this late day must there be such a rude awakening? Has it been men heretofore rather than measures? A figurehead can stand at the head of Baptist affairs in this State and carry out the orders and dictates of a live executive board and accomplish the wishes of the denomination to a successful end. And is it not true that the president and the executive board have the affairs of the denomination in charge until the convention assembles? What assistance is the board lending Dr. Earle? What suggestion has it offered him or order given that he has refused to carry out? If any put him down and try another, otherwise he is entitled to a man's chance and the hope will be brighter with less eruptions.

CHESTER PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. Mattie L. Moore and sister, Miss Mabel Henry, passed through the city Friday afternoon, en route from Columbia to Charlotte, to spend a few weeks with their mother, Mrs. E. A. Henry.

Misses Martha and Elizabeth Levy of Camden are guests of Mrs. Jennie Baum.

A big crowd is planning to attend the picnic which will be given by Mt. Olive Baptist Sunday school on Thursday of this week, at Great Falls. A great time is anticipated.

Miss Etta James of Manning spent several days in the city, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. James.

Mrs. Margaret Foster and baby, of Charlotte, are visiting relatives.

Mrs. Joseph Jackson of Columbia is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ayers.

Mrs. Mary J. Williams, of Columbia, is spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. A. McLees. Her grandchildren, Elizabeth and Evelyn Jones, came up from Columbia Tuesday and spent the day.

Miss Cora Boulware is visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

On the sick list are: Mr. Madison Worthy, Cemetery St., Mrs. Alice Caldwell, Henry Lilly, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Ellison, Columbia St., Miss Lillie Young, Lancaster St., Mrs. Mary Kennedy, Mrs. Mabel Jeter, Oak Street.

Miss Ethel Leach is out again, after being very sick for several days.

Miss Minnie Liggins and Mr. Thomas Sanders of Philadelphia were happily married Monday afternoon by Rev. Thomas Hall at the home of the bride on Pinckney St.

Mrs. Mary Gaston, wife of Mr. James Gaston, died at her home on Jeter St., on Sunday morning at 11:30 o'clock, after an illness of two hours. Her funeral was held at the A. M. E. Zion church, of which she had been a member for more than thirty years.

Rev. A. L. Newby preached the sermon and the body was laid to rest in Hebron Cemetery with Eastern Star honors. Undertaker J. E. Spann was in charge. She leaves four sons and four daughters, four grandchildren and a host of friends who are saddened because of her sudden taking away. She was held in the highest esteem by both white and colored. The floral tributes were numerous and pretty. The Eastern Star chapter gave a beautiful floral star.

Mrs. John Davis is visiting her relatives in Ridgeway. Miss Harris, who has been her guest for several weeks, returned with her.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Douglass were host and hostess at a delightful soiree at their beautiful home on Loomis St., on Thursday night when they entertained a number of young folk. A

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delicious ice course was served and after much merriment the guests departed for their several homes.

Mrs. Cora Jordan White of Nashville, Tenn., a representative of the National Baptist Board, spoke at Calvary Baptist church Sunday night. She was the guest of Prof. and Mrs. S. L. Finley while in the city.

Rev. E. B. King assisted Rev. D. B. McLure in his revival meeting at Gethsemane which has just closed with about fifty added to the church.

Mrs. Charlie McGhee and attractive little daughter, Geraldine, of Columbia, spent a week very pleasantly with the former's sister, Mrs. Hettie Rainey.

Mrs. Mary B. Butler is visiting relatives and friends in Ridge Springs and Aiken.

The baseball game between Rock Hill and Winston, which was played here on Monday afternoon, resulted in a score of 9 to 7 in favor of Winston. Rock Hill team is claimant of the South Carolina championship, while Winston is claimant of North Carolina.

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Mr. Jerry Alexander has returned from a very pleasant visit to his daughter, Mrs. Ross A. Jackson, in Philadelphia. He also visited Atlantic City, Camden, N. J., and other cities. Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Bruce and family had a very narrow escape from serious injury on Sunday night, when their car was run into a deep ditch near Center St. Mrs. Bruce was bruised on the right jaw but the other occupants were only shaken up.

NATIONAL BAPTIST CONVENTION, NEW ORLEANS, LA., SEPTEMBER 7-12, 1921.

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Lv. Spartanburg	11:52 a. m. Sep. 6, 1921
Lv. Greenville	1:00 p. m. Sep. 6, 1921
Lv. Seneca	2:05 p. m. Sep. 6, 1921
Ar. Atlanta	4:50 p. m. Sep. 6, 1921
Lv. Atlanta	6:10 p. m. Sep. 6, 1921
Ar. New Orleans	9:40 a. m. Sep. 7, 1921

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